(for Continuing Applications under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

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This is a request under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) for filing a:			der 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) for	I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited     with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post     Office to Addressee" Service under 37 CFR §1.10 on the     date indicated above and is addressed: Mail Stop PATENT			
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()	Divisional application,		cation,	Theresa A. Barnstable (Typed or printed name of person mailing)			
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1.	(x)			,			
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2.	(x)	A cor enclo	by of the executed oath or declar sed.	ation filed in the prior nonprovisional application is			
3.	Inven	torship	<b>):</b>				
	()	in-pai	and power of attorney is enclosed (for continuation- or divisional applications naming an inventor <b>not</b> (a), (d)(5), and (e)).				
	()	Because this application is being filed by fewer than all of the inventors named in the prior application, delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)(1)(2)):					
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() The names of persons believed to be the actual inventors are unexecuted oath or declaration and power of attorney (§1.41)				the actual inventors are set forth in the enclosed ower of attorney (§1.41(a) and §1.53(b)).			
4.	()	Assig	nment(s) of the invention to	, and cover sheet are enclosed.			
		()	A check in the amount of \$assignment(s) is enclosed.	to cover the fee for recording the			

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5.						
		Reel <u>011584</u>	and	Frame	0434	
		Reel <u>011721</u>	and	Frame	<u>0519</u>	
6.	()	A 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) statement is enclosed (with matter before the Patent Office).	here an	assignee	seeks to take action in a	
7.	()	A preliminary amendment is enclosed.				
8.	Draw	ings				
	()	Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file. (May be used only if signed by person authorized by §1.138 and before payment of base issue fee.)				
	()	New formal drawings are enclosed.				
	()	Informal drawings are enclosed.				
9.	(×)	A separate written request under 37 C.F.R. §1. to treat any concurrent or future reply requiring 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for its timely submission as of time for the appropriate length of time, is end	a petitions incorp	on for an	extension of time under	
10.	(x)	An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO 1449 as submitted in parent application nos. 09/753,814, without the references as they are within the file of application no. 09/753,814.				
11.	()	A MicroFiche Computer Program (Appendix) is	enclose	ed.		
12.	(x)	A Return Receipt Postcard is enclosed (MPEP	§503).			

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13.	()	A Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed.				
		()	A Computer Readable Copy is enclosed.			
		()	A Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) is enclosed.			
		()	A Statement Verifying Identity of above copies is enclosed.			
14.	()	Priority in	of application number filed on is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120.			
	(x)	Priority of application number 60/233,194 filed on September 15, 2000 in United States is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.				
		()	The certified copy of the priority document has been filed in prior application number/, filed			
		()	A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.			
15.	Powei	r of Atto	rney			
	(x)	The Po	ower of Attorney in the prior application is to:			
		(x)	David W. Clough, Ph.D.  KATTEN MUCHIN ZAVIS ROSENMAN 525 West Monroe Street, Suite 1600 Chicago, Illinois 60661-3693 and other members of the firm.			
		(x)	Customer Number 27160.			
		(x)	The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.			
		()	Since the power does <i>not</i> appear in the original papers in the prior application, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.			

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### 16. Filing Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

(x) Utility Application

			SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY		
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE	
BASIC FEE				\$375.00		\$750.00	
TOTAL (No. of claims 20=)	18	0	X \$9.00	-	X \$18.00		
INDEP. (No. of claims – 3=)	1	0	X \$42.00	-	X \$84.00		
Assumed no multiple dependent claims –  First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim			+ \$140.00	-	+ \$280.00		

19.	Other Fees						
	()	Recording Assignment [Fee - \$40.00 per assignment]	\$				
	()	Petition fee for filing by other than all the inventors or person on behalf of the inventor where refused to sign or cannot be reached [Fee – \$130.00]	\$				
	()	Other –	\$				
		Total Fees Enclosed	\$ <u>375.00</u>				
20.	Meth	od of Payment of Fees					
	(X)	Enclosed is our firm check in the amount of:	\$ <u>375.00</u>				
	()	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 50-1214.					
21.	(X)	(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1214. Should no proper payment enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized.					

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